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At this time, a survey team was able to visit 1 of the original 19 homes last evening and 1 more today (14 total), leaving 2 more to be surveyed. Teams have been unable to contact 3 residents.

Teams expect to complete surveys at up to 12 additional wells in the immediate neighborhood of the original 19. 3 residents did not wish to participate in the survey.

Some of the homes with water buffaloes have been receiving water from Binghamton, NY, via transportation arranged by the Sierra Club. Others have been receiving bottled water from various civic groups. Today, OSC Fetzer became aware that Binghamton is no longer supplying water for this purpose. A local citizen is working to identify and coordinate delivery from an alternate source(s). It is unknown at this time if bottled water delivery has been interrupted. [Ex. 5 - Deliberative]

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